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Attorney Docket Number	6533/53818
First Named Inventor	Feroz, et al.
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Application Number	
Filing Date	3/26/2004
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Slow-Start Adaptive Mechanisms to Improve Efficiency of Bandwidth Allocation

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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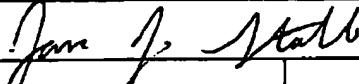
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)Applicant/Patent Owner: Feroz et al.Application No./Patent No.: _____ Filed/Issued Date: Concurrently HerewithEntitled: Slow-Start Adaptive Mechanisms to Improve Efficiency of Bandwidth AllocationPacketeer, Inc. _____, a Delaware Corporation _____
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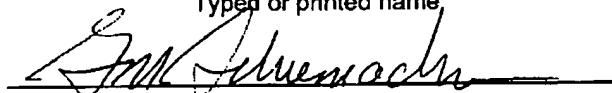
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March 25, 2004G. Mike Schumacher

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Sir:

Packeteer, Inc., a Delaware corporation, at 10201 N. De Anza Blvd., Cupertino, CA 95014, assignee of all right, title and interest to the application identified above, through its Vice President of Research & Development, G. Mike Schumacher, hereby appoints as its principal attorney, Mark James Spolyar, Reg. No. 42164, with full power of revocation and substitution, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith.

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